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- (X) Preliminary Amendment in 6 pages.
- (X) Abstract in 1 page.
- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 equivalent listing references for consideration:
 - (X) Listing 4 references.
 - (X) Enclosing 3 references.
- (X) Cover page of PCT publication PCT/EP2004/052113.
- (X) International Search Report.
- (X) German-language International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409)
- (X) Notification of the Recording of a Change (Form PCT/IB/306) in 2 pages.

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Under 35 USC 371**

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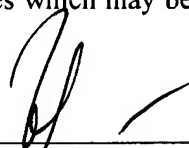
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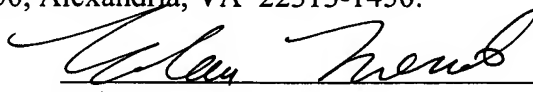
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